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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

The following Preliminary Amendment and Remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

With reference to the Application Transmittal dated June 25, 2001, please delete the sentence that was inserted by amendment to page 1 of the specification. (See page 2 of the Application Transmittal).

REMARKS

The amendment presented herein has been made to remove a sentence which was added in the Application Transmittal to reference the priority application but was